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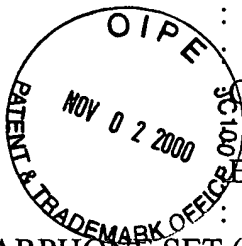
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Satoshi BAN et al.

Serial No. 09/003,812

Filed: 07 January 1998

For: MULTIPURPOSE EARPHONE SET (as amended herein)



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**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed August 2, 2000, please amend the above identified application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Page 8, line 14; change "line 13" to --line 14--

**IN THE TITLE:**

Please cancel the original title and substitute therefor the following new title:

--MULTIPURPOSE EARPHONE SET--

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Please amend claim 2 as follows:

*A1*  
2(Amended). An earphone apparatus for an audio device and a portable communication terminal device, comprising:

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- ☐ Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	7	20	0	x \$ 18 =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	3	0	x \$ 78 =	\$ 0.00
If multiple claims newly presented, add \$260.00					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE					\$ 0.00

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1209, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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